# INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS: ADOPTION OF AMENDED REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SUPERVISION OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE VISITOR PLACEMENT ORGANIZATIONS

## I. General Purpose of Regulations

The proposed regulations amend sections 351, 357, 371, 376, 377, 378, and 380 of Title 11 of the California Code of Regulations, pursuant to the authority of Government Code section 12627, which specifically authorizes the Department of Justice (DOJ) to adopt regulations implementing the Article regarding supervision of international student exchange visitor placement organizations. The proposed amendments modify the existing regulations by updating the contact information and related agency name, detailing the effective dates for annual registration renewals, correcting a spelling error, and clarifying the requirement that prior to being registered under this program a nonprofit organization must first be in compliance with the registration requirements set forth in Government Code section 12580 et seq. (The Supervision of Trustees and Fundraisers for Charitable Purposes Act).

#### II. Technical Studies Relied Upon

The Attorney General did not rely upon any technical, theoretical or empirical study, report or other similar document in proposing these regulations.

## III. Alternatives to the Proposed Regulations

Adoption of these proposed modifications is necessary to facilitate the supervision of international student exchange visitor placement organizations.

# **IV.** Economic Impact on Business

The proposed amendments to the regulations do not have any direct affect on business, as they are minor clerical corrections, and do not impose any additional burden upon business.